MARBLE HILL..... MISSOUR! The oldest doll in the country has been discovered, and she didn't object to telling her age.

A fool and his money are soon parted; but a wise man and his money sometimes are never introduced.

Philander C. Knox says that he has copied every word of Blackstone three times in long hand. How about the

A well in New Mexico is spouting live minnows, and the local milkmen are now getting their water from the

According to a medical journal 'kissing is dangerous under certain conditions." It is. The kissee must

The Chicago woman who says that city life "breeds dwarfs, brunettes and lisease" is, of course, a ravishing blonde herself.

The latest New York fad is calling cards for dogs. Presumably the dog's card is sent in with that of the mon-Ley that owns it.

The Cleveland young woman who has declared the bachelor to be an evil doubtless would suggest that he consult Dr. Hymen.

The Boston Globe complains of "all this squage on Boston's sidewalks." Death saved R. W. Emerson from some awful shocks,

A baby 18 months old has been found in New York earning 50 cents a | eff." day. This may be considered the limit of sweatshop degradation.

The tin can trust is being held on the charge of contempt of court. This ought to be pleasant news to the Unappreciated Order of Homeless Curs.

A woman in Kansas City hid \$500

In a home made bustle and lost the bustle. Curious and interesting things like this happen in Kansas City every A Chicago girl has inherited \$250,000

that she never expected to receive. Now she knows how it feels to take they but overhear. money into Wall street and get it By crowing lustily a New Jersey chanticleer gave warning to a farmer

that his henhouse was being robbed. To the woods with the watchdog's honthat when a man takes four drinks a been abandoned?

day he is "addicted." He may be addicted but it is hardly probable that he is satisfied. A New York man wants to have his | bling to enter the cars. name changed from Smith to Cuyler.

If he were a rich girl the probabilities | but a minute before bustled with life, | ter him,

much given to lunching on doughnuts. have someone to look after, and who will means to attract attention to the The doughnut of commerce is cheap, must not be forgotten in the grand cli- fact, not knowing, of course, what a filling, and in shape bears an attrac- max, lest he be the means of over- benchment fate it is that has thus tive resemblance to an additional whelming them with disaster,

rica on account of his lungs. The reaching the fatal spot. friends of Alfred Austin are glad to

Queen Wilhelmina's husband anpears to have settled down for good. the rails. He is content to sign the pay roll on

as "a lady dentist." Oh. joy! Imag- the train. ine the delight of having a countess playing that electric buzz saw around a sensitive tooth.

A man sued in a New York court for breach of promise makes the singular plea that he did not exactly promise to marry the woman, twenty years ago, but simply took an option on her heart. This is a hint to other would-

Gen. Gomez announces that he cannot be induced to run for the presidency of Cuba. Mr. Gomez has gone out hunting trouble so often and found it that he can hardly be blamed for refusing now at his time of life to

If Jupiter has six moons, as the astronomers say now, the sociable citizen of Jupiter winding his way along after a pleasant evening at the club must feel at times as if a torchlight procession had turned out to accom-

pany him home. It will strike many an unsuccessful litigant that the New York jury which decided a case by flipping a penny probably arrived at as just a conclusion as though they had pretended to ponder over or discuss what their verdict should be.

The New Yorker who offers \$1,000 for evidence to prove that there is in the sky." Greater New York one single married man who is perfectly contented with | This is a sad day for poor Cuba, thro his lot, is safe. One may be absoluted thed on both sides. But we must be ly contented, just as one may be perfectly honest, and find it impossible to prove it.

One of the university professors says "life is the result of purely physical gentle ascent. It is here we must sink divine or vital force." In a good many cases it is the result of care in keeping away from the grade crossings.



the recent begites to slivly many

"Now!" he cris , boarsely, as the

reach the bettom of the descent and

Juck half rises from his cronchine

try, and is now seen to hold something

Silencio!

Almost immediately the car begins

storeds on toward doom, leaving their

CHAPTER XV.

A Little Affair Concerning Senor Rob-

lado and the Guard.

It is, as may be naturally supposed

gie enterprise depends on the perfect

s drop beling to gay appears that I

nisht.

"If is sinne

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Jack steps upon the platform of the preme forward and of the year ceasts car adjoining that which constitutes | tack is on his lances grouping for the the rear of the train. He is bent noon compling pin that holds the two years finding out just how matters stand, I so that should the expedition proceed giving evidence that no suspicion of casength may drag it out, because as the danger ahead has entered into that time the strain will be wholly the calculations of the soldiers, he upon it. Smithers is on the watch, may be able to carry out a bright thought which has entered his head. "I believe it can be done without a lis an to run along a very limited level doubt." Jack matters, after bonding stretch, with the rise close at hand. down and making a hasty examination of the connection between the two position; he has given a tremendous

"The same thing has been accome in his hand. plished on numerous occasions. Railroad men in your country call it making a flying switch." says Smithers, almost in his ear- Smithers who seems to have intuitively guessed what lack's bright the shir has been. and indeed must have been figuring himself on the same thing.

"See, there is room enough for all of us to cling to the end of the other coach at the time we separate. The only danger will be the chance of discovery on the part of the soldiers." "Well, sir, in that we are lucky Note the fact that tents and a certain amount of higgage have been piled up at this end of the car.

"Yes, you are right." "It not only serves to darken the platform in a degree, but will, I be-Heve, prevent any of the men from noticing that the last coach is cut

"Then let us pray that luck will follow us. If it wasn't for that prom-

"Ah, sir, if I hadn't the utmost faul in your word of honor, I never would have betrayed their secret-no, not even to save the ladies. But no more | from pin late the darkness of the on that subject, please. We are here, and our work is cut out for us. It remains to be seen what Anglo-Saxon wit can accomplish against the min quickly widens, and the military train ions of Spanish tyranny."

Bold words these to be attered, even in a whisper, within sight of several bundred Spanish soldiers, who would tear the speaker limb from limb did

"Look, the conference is over." Travers has kept one eye upon the when he sees them separate he knows of they will succeed in their desperthe subject that has been debated be-

A Massachusetts court has decided the night, since further progress has

carry out. Instead, loud orders in Spanish of "All aboard!" are heard, the train draw ahead. and the soldiers can be seen scram-

Thus the station platform, which are that he'd be crazy to marry some appears empty and almost forsaken. The man in charge of the train glances up and down, and seeing

stand, or, rather, crouch, the three | are being deserted by the train he will Mrs. Hetty Green, it is said, is friends. Thus it is settled that they majorally give tongue and endeavor by

The speed increases. At this rate aware of no danger alread, they will not be more than balf an Kipling has had to go to South Af- hour, perhaps only swenty minutes, in | no matter how resonant, may not be

Jack and Smithers talk it over in report that as far as lungs are con- quick sentences, while Ah Sin stands cerned he's as good as any poet in the ready to do just whatever he is hidden. No danger of their being overheard out there, with the rattle of the cars and the clang of the wheels over

One thing favors their plans-the pay days and leave affairs of state to night has swooped down upon them those who are getting salaries for tak- with black pinions, and so intense has the gloom become in this mountainous region that but for the lights stream Countess Helen von Schweinitz has ing from the car windows it would be wen a diploma from Berlin university impossible to see the length of half

"Now!" he cries hoarsely.

"Possibly we are near the camp fires along the trocha," he remarks, against the heavens. at which the other says with grim sarcasm:

"I would be more inclined to believe

"Oh, more canefields destroyed.

"At least that. A few more miles and the blow will fall. To work then.' "Look ahead. We are just descending a low grade. Beyond appears a need have no cause for complaint. Let

of the fellow giving even a whisper thile those fingers close so affection

The carriage has almost ceased to limo the genule acclivity, its momenon having become very nearly exhausted, and already the train has vanished entirely from view, so that It danger from that source is past, To be continued.)

WITH ALL LEGAL FORMS.

Sult Dismissed by Country Justice in Impressive Dignity.

Champ Clark tells of a suit in which omnity justice shop" in Missouri.

Well, sir, I've got to see Squire olmson about this. You take the a veteran local fawver, the legal obbler's wax on which he had inadottently sat. After a while the separation was effected, when the justice!

BEAUTY A MATTER OF DUTY.

Woman's Privilege That She Should Try to Look Her Best.

collector, at once buttonholed him.

running toward him.

Hying Nimrod.

"Five dollars, sir!" "Where's the skin?" he eried.

"Behind you, sir!" came the recedsince it concerns their fortunes acute i ing answer. ly, the detective is bound to throw his

influence against it. Thus he begins to make his way in a morthed and bleeding from a scratch thing of interest. There is a light in light nearly got the doctor's

Possibly the follow has lighted a lamp in order to read or it may be to better accomplish his regular duties. At any rate, this fact suits Smith, sation, had decided not to improve its ers to a dot, as he may now discover rotoriously impure water service, and what course to take, and can in his the commissioner said: own way incimidate the railway man.

Even as Smuthers reaches the open phrases of assent and encouragement window of the compartment door and crouches underneath it, the head and ceased to talk. They had said everyhastily thrust into view, as the fellow more ideas left. endeavors to look up the line ahead. It so happens that the train, hay over his spectacles, said heavily; some low-lying clouds are tinged with ling completed the gentle ascent of the bill, is just at this particular moment argued on both sides, and dere haf in full view outlined in silhouttie been some ferry nice points of law

There is hence no possible excuse gonsider desc boints, but I shall eventfor the guard not immediately discov- ually decide for the blaintiff." ering it, and that he fully grasps the that is the handwriting of Maceo on situation is evident from the startled exclamation that escapes his lips: "Madre de Dios!"

and fastens upon the guard's throat | through. and chemical forces irrespective of any or swim. Everything is planned. If with a tenacious grip, and the hoarse the execution turn out as well, we vell which is just on the point of bursting forth is stiffed in the act.

"Silencio!" says a voice in his ear. hibition of works of art, pictures and commission to determine upon and much real estate, to be over \$1,200, were the heaviest in the experience been recovered from the Virginia The admonition is quite superfluous, sculpture, executed by porters and oth- form verdict. brief space of time they find them since there is not the slightest chance or railway employes.

rely upon his throat

ie was retained that was tried in a "The opposing party" says Mr. Tark, "had sued my client outside the awnship in which he lived, so I took he statute' with me to have the case a missed for want of jurisdiction. The ocal justice of the peace was a shoe maker. His office was in his shoe loop, and the son of Crispin sat or is beuch among his leathers and his ools attentively listening to my readng of the law and the motion to disis the case. Upon the termination of my little argument the justice shoemaker showed signs of indecision Who an owlish air of wisdom he informed me that he had his doubts a to that statute: furthermore he inmated that it would be well to go sow where these city lawyers' were rat oust he had been pegging and an sounced:

ench, Squire Morton, till I get back. | men "So off he went to get the opinion Phority of the town. Mr. Morton, the other legal magnate he had addressed gravely took the bench and dressed gravely took the bench and held it till the justice returned. In fact, he held it longer, for it proved a matter of considerable difficulty to separate him from it. When he tried to rise there was an awful clatter of knives, bradawls, shoes and leather—the bench rose with him. It appeared that the worthy man had become at tached to it by contact with a piece of the sale o the other legal magnate he had ad-

neament: "The case is dismissed."

esumed his sent and solemnly an such

It has been said, and not without cason, that one should always be trying to beautify oneself. Your little group of officers all the while, and a minute of interes suspense. Whethe daughter will be grateful in the years to come if you keep yourself youthful tween them is settled.

Ah, the officers hasten to the train Will they order the men to turn out. or make themselves confortable for the night, since further progress has been abandoned?

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The Standard is selling oil in every to the house bill introduced the agreement made for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the house by Mr. Godfrey of St. Louis for the h and pretty. For a young companion at ly, decreases its speed, their eyes are the days of her babyhood and girlmeans so very, very much. For in the

"Shot him?" shouted the surgeon "Yes, sir!" breatnlessly replied the

"How much for the skin?" The doctor gave Atkins the money

The doctor tooked, and saw the din, with the tiger in it, coming openwhere Atkins had "shot" it. The doc for didn't get the timer's skin, but the

A Waste of Time.

Health Commissioner Darlington, of New York, was talking about the wa | Bittinger for supplies of the world's great cities. If a guard on a train out of Hayana | A foreign city was mentioned that afmay be supposed to have any such. I ter a great deal of expensive investi-

"That reminds me of a magistrate I "A man was arrested and brought Half a dezen times his hands seek before this mugistrate, and the case a new hold, and then Smithers has was arrared are and con for a long eached a point where he can look while. The magistrate listened intentdy, and he made numerous notes. To the cloquent arguments of the lawyer | the northwest coast of Madagascar, its Monday acquitte by a jury on the orded car has been sensibly sinck- for the defense he would not vigorous ned, and even a very obtuse employe approval. A little later the passionate | Bers number seventy vessels, f the road can hardly help realizing periods of the lawyer for the prosecution would cause him to murmur low

"Finally, exhausted, the lawvers shoulders of the Spanish guard are thing they could think of. They had no "Then the magistrate, looking down

"Dis gase has been ferry ably brought up. I shall dake dree days to monia. Tent Life in Colorado.

Tent life is much in vogue at the

International Printers' home at Colodure is as rado Springs, Col. There are ten emphatic as it is effective. As yet the steam-heated canvas houses, equipped reconsidered his decision to reject the man has not noticed the dark figure with electric lights and having electric recent bids for armor plate made by crouching under the window, since his bell connections with the drugroom of the Midvale steel company of Pennattention is wholly taken up with the hospital. These probably are the approach to the midwale steel company of Penninconscious when found. She and sylvania, and he will award to that sylvania, and he will award to that bresent size. A hand suddenly plunges upward and they are occupied the year a contract for 1,000 tons of the 8,000 three months ago.

Proceedings of Missouri General Assembly

Tuesday, February 21.

After taking the twenty eighth ballot without are decision in the senatorial contest roday, the simil assembly dissolved until tomolrow. The yete was as follows: Cockrell 60. Nichtingham 61. Kebens 12. Activity of a choice 17. Activity of the commission of the Senatory of the senatory of the first of the Kabasa kegislature analysis the Sandard oil company, as it is believed to be directed, was begind today in the three bills introduced in the house by Mr. Loans of Kamasa (tilly The first of these three measures provides a scale of failured analysis and excess of the service of switching of the foreither of its charter to do land assesses as the purchase of and the foreithree of its charter to do landiness in this state.

The distribution of such of failures shall be decemed smilly of infant discrimination and he liable to a fine of \$2000. The presson of eigeneral for transportation doing this shall be decemed smilly of infant discrimination and he liable to a fine of \$2000. The presson of eigeneral for transportation as follows: Six miles of the actorney general.

The third bill makes plape lines common carries and lives the scale of price test barries for transportations as follows: Six miles of the actorney general.

The bright his prevides for a maximum rat, for the miles 25 cents, 250 to 100 miles, 250 to 100 mile

such pipe lines.

The other full provides for a maximum rate for transportation of crude oil in tanks cans or other receptables. The rate for 250 miles is ten cents for hundred paniels. For each one hundred pointed transported farther, an increased rate of discussion translated and it was adopted.

transported farther, an increased rate of one usual is provided.

Senator Charke of Kansas City introduced two bills looking to the establishment of an off-refinery in Missouri. One bill relates to the transportation of crude off by pipe lines and designates them as common carriers. They shall carry all off-refiner to them and shall charge at the rate of 5 coits per barrel for six miles and at a gradually reduced scale up to 250 and at a gradually reduced scale up to 250. On final missage the senate voted 22 for

Schalor Merton offered an amendment to exchale towns of home population and less. Schalor Dickinson opposed the amendment decking it tended to destroy the object of the bill.

Schalor Morton declared the passage of such a law would tend to build up the stronger corporations to the detriment of the weaker, for call of a division the amendment was less by a vote of 14 to 11.

Schalor Gardner introduced a bill to be declare automobile fleeness from \$7 to \$25 pet years.

repeating certain sections, which will g "Section 1 That sections numbers 19 7429 7421 7422 7423 and 7424 of ar-cle 2 chapter 195 of the Revised Stat co of Misseum of 1889, be and the sum-plement prepared year, be bill introduced by Senator DeVil-s, which created a board of health for state with branches in each of the nitles, was passed in the senate this critical with only three votes against was originally intended to make the It was originally intended to make the bill to be introduced tomorrow a commit-tee substitute for the missing measure, but fearing trouble over technicalities it has been decided to make it is new or senginal bill. Its a vote of 102 to 18, the house payed the committee substitute to enforce the it. Semiler Young of Texas county tifed hard to amond it, but without avail. The only votes reported against it were those of Senators Bradley Curry and Young. Representative Bigg's bill which will prevent money sharks from collecting more than the principal and legst rate of interest of a land was presentative.

Wednesday, February 22.

sterest on a loan was passed in the sen-

Senator Frisley said if the bill became : Senator Frisby said if the bill became a law it would disregard the security idaced about mortgages and destroy confidence about right, sir," said Atkins.

The surgeon-major was netting but trilles on the outskirts of the jungle like evening, when he saw Atkins Senators including Senators Humphrey and Morton.

Senator Clarke held that it would perschater Carke held that it would permit an extension, but it would force a record of the transaction, which was necessary, in order that the interests of the public were subscrived.

The bill introduced by Senator Farris, which permits the federal soldiers' home. to sell certain property owned in St. Louis, was passed.

Thursday, February 23. The monotony of the joint assembly on the senatorial contest was varied a little and Mr. Walmsley was thereby afforded an opportunity to yote for two different gentlemen on the same day. On the thirteeth ballot, when cights On the thirtieth bullet, when eight vates were required to elect the following was the tesult; Cookrell 74 Nied ringhnus 65. Kerens 12. McKinley 5, Albus 1. Petrijohn 1. After this bullet was taken another task was formed, a method for a second bullet having previous been earned. The result of that bullet with 79 necessary to a choice, was Cockrell 73. Niedringhnus 64. Kerens 1. V. Kinley 5. Bisinger 1. Petrijohn 1. M.

Kamimura's Fleet in Indian Ocean. London: The correspondent at To- Chicago, Ill.: Johann Hoch was held kio of the Daily Telegraph states that to the grand jury without bail. The Admiral Kamimura and his squadron coroner's jury which investigated the are in the vicinity of Indian ocean, and death of Mrs. Marie Walcker-Hoch the correspondent believes that impor- found that the deceased came to her death from the effects of arsenic poitant naval events are imponding.

Baltic Fleet Off Madagascar. Port Louis, Mouritins: Russia's Balrendezvous. The whole fleet and col. charge of having murdered Joe Roberts

Gavel Sent to Speaker Cannon.

ed in 1852. Gen. L. G. Estes.

Midvale Gets Armor Contract, Washington: Secretary Morton has

company, which was the lowest bidder, tons wanted.

Friday, February 24. It is the same old story. Another bal-of on the senatorship—the thirty-second— ind the result leaves the deadlock un-roken. The ballot resulted as follows: the train draw ahead.

The business has been shrewdly, though horriedly, planned, and each one of the trie has his work laid out tor fire.

The business has been shrewdly, though horriedly, planned, and each one of the trie has his work laid out tor fire.

Thus, Ah Sin, having secured a spare coupling pin that lay upon the platform of the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the platform of the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the last car of the retreat large to about come to a stand, when the last car of the retreat like and the canonical the canonical the canonical three this more and voted for McKiniev, thus making the latter was making the thirty-second-for McKiniev, thus making the latter was making the dather and the result day to the last on the schalorship—the thirty-second-for McKiniev, thus making the latter was making the latter was making the canonical three canonics nomine this more and voted for McKiniev, thus making the latter was the ears need care. For out standing ears there is nothing so of law with making ears there is nothing so of law with making the canonical three canonics nomine this more and voted for McKiniev, thus making the latter was making the canonical and the result haves the dead of ollows. Cockrell 62. Nichtens in the last canonic target the canonic manner described the canonic and voted for McKiniev, thus making the dather hands the canonic manner described as the canonic manner described to the canonic manner described and the last the for McKiniev, thus making the canonic manner described as the canonic manner described as the canonic manner described as the latter was the canonic manner described as the canonic manner described and the manner and collection for McKiniev, thus making the canonic manner described as the canonic man The Japanese are still a simple, primitive people. They have not as yet acquired the habit of throwing mud at their heroes when the latter at tempt to return home.

Congratulations to Bristol county, Mass, which has so little use for her new jail that it has never yet been usid the bridge at which there is talk of selling it for an old folks home.

A New Jersey minister advises, was they are now reduced to this dernier ressort. Should it tall, if they can find any satisfaction in the death, if they are now reduced to this dernier ressort. Should it tall, and probability they will be in at propositive that they have should be presented to be indirected to the family chemist he reaccest compartment.

That railway man, accustomed to this dernier ressort. Should it tall, if they can find any satisfaction of the family chemist he can carriage is traveling along the facility of the family chemist he reaccest compartment.

That railway man, accustomed to this dernier ressort. Should it tall, if they can find any satisfaction in that thought.

Smithers has bearing on the train guard who an any have a bearing on the guard guard and the woman drags after her the guard and the flow o

Senator Dickinson's bill providing for commission, and this was amended by ruptcy proceedings against her Friday Schaden Dickinson's bill providing for a public auction of municipal framchises as called up for amendment this morasis. The author of the measure offered transminist to exclude effect of the arthochast from its pravisions. After once discussion, the amendment was logical Schalor Dowell this morning introducal bill which makes it a felony for a street

emite adjustified until Monday

Glass Eater Kills Himself. St. Joseph, Mo.: George Bailey, known over the country as a glass eater, committed suicide here by drinking carbolic acid. He was 28 years of age and was born and reared in St. Louis. Disappointment in a love affair

College Students Observe Holiday. Fulton, Mo.: The faculty and students of Westminster college held an inceresting service at the chapel in commemoration of Washington's birthday. Addresses were delivered by L. J. Rice and Rev. W. W. Stoddard, Theical colleges took part in the exercises. | trict of Ancon.

Hech Held Without Bail.

Report Arkansas Peaches Killed. Terre Haute, Ind.: A gavel was sent | Little Rock, Ark.: Senator John P. Speaker Cannon of the rational house Logan, who is president of the state | Gwelo, southern Rhodesia. This is the unsatisfactory audience with the emof representatives by the Blooming- horticultural society, is confident that dale (Ind.) academy, a Quaker school practically all the peaches in the state north of Terre Haute, which he attend- were killed by the very low tempera-

Dudley Denies Resigning. gion and a prominent officer in the ar- land, telegraphed from Dublin as folmy of the Potomac, died here of pneu- lows: "There is no truth in the report that I am resigning."

> Bride Makes Two Suicide Attempts. Washington: Ind.: Mrs. Effic Stan-

Inventory of estate of B. B. Graham 000.

NORTH SEA CASE VERDICT SAYS ROJESTVENSKY WAS NOT JUSTIFIED

fishing fleet. The Russian commissioner dissents.

While the commission finds that Admiral Rojestvensky was not justi- in the latter opinion. fied in firing on the British trawlers. It holds that he was justified in proceeding without stopping to reader assistance to the British fishermen, The decision sets forth the circum-

stances and incidents, gives the opiniot, of the admirals on the various important points involved, and says the delay of the Russian transport, Kamschatka, following the breakdown of her machinery, was perhaps the cause of the incident. The commander the Kamschatka signaled to Admiral Rojestvensky during the evening that he had been attacked by tornedo boats. The admiral, therefore, halreason to believe be might be attacked and gave orders for strict vigilance against the possible approach of torrado boats. The majority of the commission considers that Admiral Rojestvensky's orders were not excessive in time of war, particularly under the circumstances, and that he had every reason to consider the situation very a nature to cast any disrespect upon alarming.

"The commissioners." the decision says, "recognize unanimously that the jestvensky and the personnel of his fishing fleet committed no hostile act, squadron,

KANSAS TO WAGE LEGAL BATTLE ON OIL TRUST

on Standard's Rights.

Topeka, Kas.: Frank H. Monnett. here Friday to asist the Kansas oil members of the United Mine Workers producers in their fight against the of Ilinois. The auditor's report showed Standard oil company. Although he that \$200,000 of the funds on hand are has been in Kansas only a few hours, invested in railroad bonds, and the that the Kansas people have a very jectionable debate. just grievance and that they are in a

position to win their fight. here, he met C. C. Coleman, attorney of the delegates considered railroad general of Kansas, in conference, and | bonds insecure. These delegates exit was agreed that proceedings would presed a preference in their talks for be commenced shortly in the state su. Government bonds, even though the preme court to prevent the Standard rate of interest is smaller. oil company from selling its products in this state. Under the provisions urer, defended the railroad bond in of the Kansas statutes, a foreign cor- vestment made by the members of the poration must have authority from the Executive Board.

that the Standard is operating here day's meeting of the miners to secure without authority it will be driven from the state, and thus will widen the field of the independent refinerics. Mr. Coleman has been comtemplating organization to put as much protection this move against the Standard for several days, but waited until the ar- the debate, a committee was appointrival of Mr. Monnett before deciding ters.

to begin it. "I know very little of conditions in Kansas," said Mr. Monnett, "but from what I have seen of your lawmakers this state will win in any fight it starts

against the Standard." Senate and House Confer on Bill. on the part of the Senate and House be done, however, uptil a few days beto consider the isthmian canal bill fore March 20, when the grand jury were in session two hours Sunday, While no definite action was taken names secret as long as possible. !t on any of the Senate amendments the conference proceeded far enough examine the record of each man. to assure the accentance of all of the Senate amendments except that relating to the continuance of the commisthe Senate to provide for its retention, before Referee Remington, refused at Representatives of both houses stood first to be sworn. After consultation pat at Sunday's conference, and no with her lawyer she finally consented compromise plan was suggested. A to take the oath. She was then asked no vement is on foot, however, look- to state her name. She refused to ing to an agreement for a reduction reply to this or any other questions of the commission to three members, that followed, Another meeting will be held as soon as the naval appropriation bill has

been passed. Oppose Porto Rico Eviction Laws. delegates has passed the five-day evic- hours and railway traffic was impeded tion law against tenants. The American federation of labor denounces the measure as oppressive, and denunciatory meetings are being held throughout the island. The executive council there that ten Jews have been killed

Stoessel at Moscow. Moscow: Gen. Stoessel, late com-

Becomes Judge of Canal Zone. Panama: Former American Consul General H. K. Gudger took the oath 51, vice president of the Sangamon students of William Woods and synol- Friday as judge of the canal zone dis- homestead and savings association, Engineer Gray Fatally Injured.

> Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad tending nearly seventy-five miles in this city. Engine No. 99 ran into above Louisville, began moving out engine No. 620. Engineer Gray was Sunday. Although the ice was in severely mangled and will die. Tokio Denies Peace Rumors. Tokio: All peace negotiations are flatly denied here. It is believed that

Find Diamonds in Rhodesia. London: A diamond field has been discovered in the neighborhood of Andrassy has returned, after another first time that diamonds have been peror at Vienna. The cabinet crisis found in Rhodesia, and it was not continues, Francis Joseph, it is said,

Senate Draws Line on Bouquets. Washington: The Senate began proeedings Friday by adopting a resolution reported by Mr. Lodge from the committee on rules directing the sergeant-at-arms not to permit flowers to boats and one warship have been be brought into the Senate chamber. sighted off Vladivostok.

Was Oldest Elk in World. Connersville, Ind.: Anthony Watt, enuted to be the oldest member of

of cattlemen.

Paris: The report of the interna- | and the majority of the commissionbook commission on the North sea ers, being of the opinion that there incident was made public Saturday. It were not, either among the fishing says that Admiral Rojestvensky was boats nor in their vicinity, any tornot justified in firing on the British pedo boats the opening of fire by Admiral Rojestvensky was not justified."

The decision further states that the Russian commissioner did not share "In any event," the decision continues, "the commissioners are glad to recognize unanimously that Admiral Rojestvensky personally did all he could, from the commencement to

being the object of fire by the Russian squadron. Concerning the squadron's proceel-

the end, to prevent the trawlers from

ing without assisting the damaged trawlers, the decision says: The commisioners are unanimous that, under the circumstances preceding and following the incident, there was such uncertainty concerning the danger to the squadron as to warrant Admiral Rojestvensky in continuing his route. However, the majority regrets that the admiral did not inform the neighboring maritime powers of

what had occurred." The decision concludes as follows: "The commissioners declare that their views as formulated are not of the military valor, nor upon the sea timents of humanity of Admiral Ro-

ILLINOIS MINERS OBJECT TO RAILROAD BONDS

Supreme Court Will Be Asked to Pass | Urge That Funds Be Put Into Government Securities.

Springfield, Ill.: Railroads are obex-attorney general of Ohio, arrived jectionable investments to a number of Mr. Mounett says he is of the opinion | knowledge furnished food for an ob-

It was evident from the discussion in the second day's session of the State W. D. Ryan, State secretary treas-

John McDonald of athens spoke for about the engineers as possible. After ed to consider the objectionable mat

Grand Jury for Beef Investigation. Chicago, Ill.: The special grand jury ordered by Federal Judge Kohlsaat to investigate the alleged meat trust was drawn Friday. The law requires that the names of members of the jury b€ Washington: Conferees appointed spread on the records. This will not will meet, as it is desired to keen the

is said that the government wishes to

Mrs. Chadwick Refuses to Answer. Cleveland, Ohio: Mrs. Chadwick, sion. The House bill abolishes the when placed on the stand in the bank

Blizzard Strikes Illinois.

nois Sunday night. At midnight the San Juan, Porto Rico: The house of snow had fallen 6 inches in three Kill Ten Jews in a Riot. London: A dispatch to a news agen-

will be appealed to to disapprove the and thirty wounded in an anti-Jewish riot at Odessa.

Woman Falls Dead on Street. Virginia, Ill.: Mrs. Sarah Potter, a mander of the Russian forces at Port | well-known resident of this place, fell Arthur, and his party arrived here dead on the street at Canton, Ill., Satat 9 o"clock Sunday morning. He will urday of heart disease. The body was

Springfield, Ill.: James Walsh, aged

Gorge Moves at Louisville. Louisville, Ky.: The ice gorge morning a wreck happened on the which has filled the Ohio river, exsome places piled up 20 feet high, it

Ottawa, Ont.: Canadian canals will scale, must take place before the council having been passed Friday requestion of peace can be broached mittnig canal tolls for the coming sea-

having declined to entertain either the

Vladivostok Is Threatened. St. Petersburg: Gen. Kuropatkin felegraphs that twenty Japanese torpedo

Jacksonville's Attorney Injured. Jacksonville, Ill.: City Attorney W. Morrissey of this city field, wife of Howard Stanfield of this the Elks lodge in the world, is dead at burned Tuesday. He was firing his

Rescuers Recover 92 Bodies. Birmingham, Ala.: At 8 o'clock North sea incident reaches stage for value of property left, exclusive of the losses during the recent blizzard Thursday night ninety-two bodies had mines, and rescue work continues.

physicians may save it.

Jack points to the horizon, where

halfway there, Smithers."

us change quarters." This is readily done, and in a very

Why shouldn't that experiment of using monkeys to pick prunes in California succeed? Every gardener who has boy neighbors knows that the little monkeys will pick strawberries.

This refers to the train guard who answered the questions of Don Roblado.

This spaniard has leaged into a compartment of the rear coach while the train was in motion—the section nearest the platform upon which is bound the guard discover that they are not only the form of the flows discover that they are not only the flows of the strain was in motion—the section nearest the platform upon which is bound the guard discover that they are not only the flow that the flow the swap, like a faithful employe the will be likely to show some desire that the platform upon which is the form of the flows flow that the flow the swap, like a faithful employe the will be save that the platform upon which into the image to compass the death that the flow the swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be will be will be swap, like a faithful employe the will be at the will be wi

Possibly the value of a limit man.

heard above the rattle and rout of a major. train under full speed, and respecially Smithers does not mean that he shall have the emportanity to try. There are adjor times and places more promitions for testing the resounding constitues of a more's tune carecety and

the direction of the courd's door. Smithers has already discovered one the end section of the carriage where all was dark at the last station.

Once his feet have found the plank, heard about the other day. and he no longer has any difficulty.

Contributes' marriage of new

only steam-heated tents in the world, Art in Lowly Places. In Paris there is now open an exa links introduced a bill to com-

is said to have been responsible for his suicide

Acquitted of Murder Charge. son November 13 last.

ture of the past week. Washington: Gen. L. G. Estes. London: In reply to an inquiry, the commander of the Medal of Honor Le- Earl of Dudley, lord lieutenant of Ire-

tic fleet is still backing Nossi Be, off St. Joseph, Mo.: John Wyatt was one more engagement, upon a large be free for another year, an order in with any hope of success.

supposed that they existed there,

Reports Heavy Loss of Cattle. Roswell, N. M.: Herbert Fitzgerald.

of St. Louis filed Saturday, shows a large stock raiser, reports the cat-

Shortly after Mr. Monnett's arrival convention of the miners that many

the annulment of the agreement the engineers, and said he desired the

Bloomington, III .: A snowstorm and blizzard prevailed over central lili

cy from Odessa says it is reported

go to St. Petersburg on Wednesday, brought home for interment. James Walsh.

died suddenly Friday of heart failure. Marion, Ill.: During the fog Tuesday

did little damage

Francis Joseph Forcing Issue. Buda-Pesth, Hungary: Count Julius

military or the economic demands of the independent party.

first that he would lose his sight, but